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**PATENT  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re: Patent Application of  
Garret A. Fitzgerald, et al. : Group Art Unit: 1645  
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Title: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS : Attorney Docket  
FOR DETERMINING LIPID : No. 53893-5024  
PEROXIDATION LEVELS IN : (Client Matter No. 9596-93U1)  
OXIDANT STRESS SYNDROMES :  
AND DISEASES :

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a two (2) month extension of time, to and including December 2, 2001, for responding to the outstanding Notice to File Missing Parts dated August 2, 2001.

The Petition Fee of **\$200.00** is being paid by our firm's check which is enclosed with Applicants' response to the Notice to File Missing Parts being filed simultaneously herewith. Any additional fees/overpayments are authorized to be charged/credited to our firm's Deposit Account No. 50-0310 (billing code 053893-5024).

Respectfully submitted,

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